

REMARKS

By the present amendment, independent claims 3 and 4 have been amended to, among other things, further clarify the concepts of the present invention and/or additionally distinguish over the cited patents. More particularly, these claims have been amended to delete duplicative material and also to indicate two groups of rollers (a) and (b) such that the use of the term "between" is more appropriate. It is submitted that entry of the above amendments is in order and such is respectfully requested.

In view of the foregoing, it is submitted that the subject application is now in condition for allowance and early notice to that effect is earnestly solicited.

In the event this paper is not timely filed, the undersigned hereby petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for this extension may be charged to Deposit Account No. 01-2340, along with any other additional fees which may be required with respect to this paper.

Respectfully submitted,

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